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| Application No. 09/773,438 | Filing Date January 31, 2001 | Examiner Not Yet Assigned | Art Unit 1744 |
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Applicant(s): Dennis Salbilla

Invention: IN-LINE METHOD AND APPARATUS TO PREVENT FOULING OF HEAT EXCHANGERS

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as Express Mail, Airbill No. EU098495334US, in an envelope addressed to: MS Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below.

Dated: December 19, 2003

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